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APPLICANTS: HARALD ROSE ET AL. ART UNIT: 2881

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TITLE: ELECTROSTATIC CORRECTOR FOR ELIMINATING THE CHROMATIC
ABERRATION OF PARTICLE LENSES

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO THE FIRST OFFICE ACTION

Hon. Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In reply to the first Office Action, dated September 25, 2003 (Petition for a Two-Month Extension of time, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), and requisite fee of \$210.00 (small entity) being enclosed), please amend the above-identified patent application as indicated on the following pages:

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